#### UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT

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Humane Society of the United States, et al.,

Appellees,

VS.

Sally Jewell, Secretary of the Interior, et al.,

Appellants.

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# On Appeal from the United States District Court for the District of Columbia No. 13-CV-00186 (BAH)

### NOTICE OF INTENT TO FILE AMICUS CURIAE BRIEF BY THE STATE OF MINNESOTA IN SUPPORT OF DEFENDANTS-APPELLANTS

The State of Minnesota hereby notifies this Court of its intent to file an *amicus curiae* brief in support of Defendants-Appellants in the above-captioned matter. Pursuant to D.C. Circuit Rule 29(a), the State of Minnesota may file an *amicus curiae* brief without the consent of the parties or leave of court.

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Dated: March 11, 2015

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#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on March 11, 2015, I filed a copy of the foregoing Notice of Intent to File Amicus Curiae Brief by the State of Minnesota in Support of Defendants-Appellants with the clerk of court using the CM/ECF system which will serve notice upon the following ECF registrants.

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